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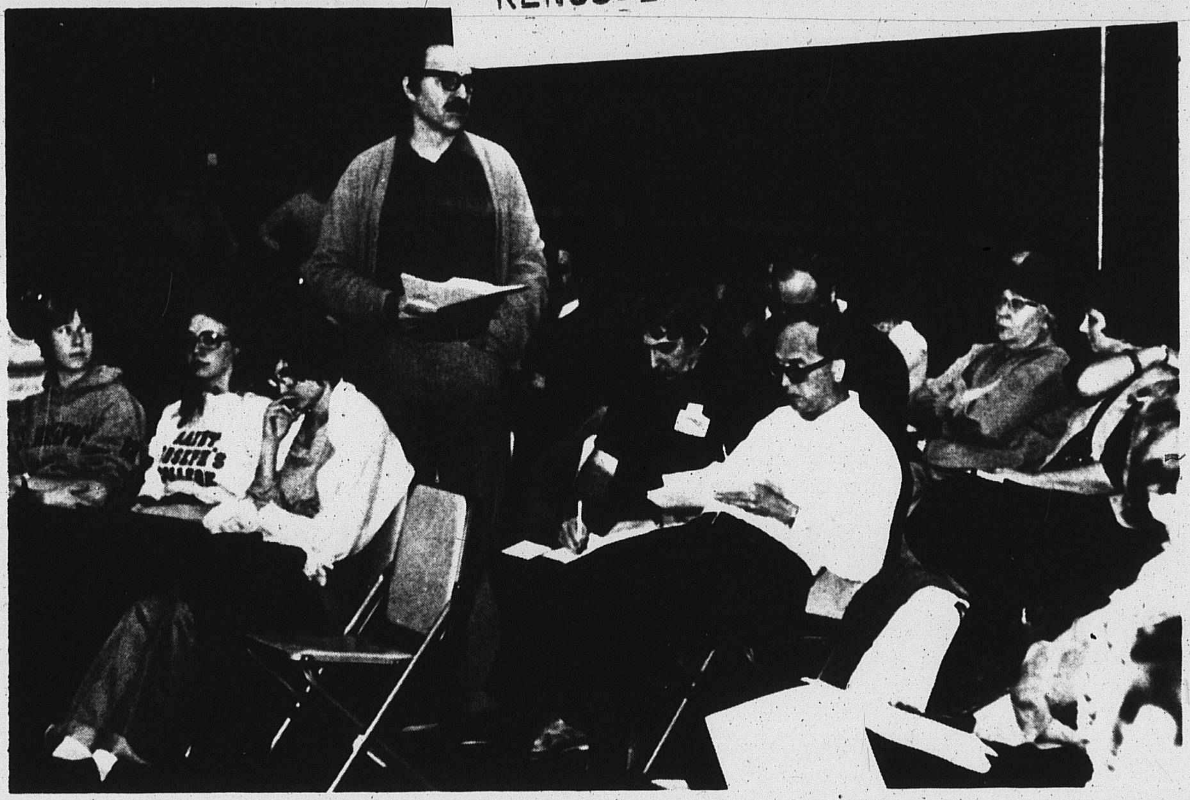

Dr. Donald Kreilkamp (standing), chairman of the Student Life Committee, presents the motion proposing the extension of open house hours at the faculty assembly last Feb. 21. The motion was subsequently approved by a solid majority.

Faculty Extends Hours; Coed Study Benefit Cited

BY MATT CAMPBELL

On Feb. 21, the faculty members passed a proposal for an extension of the open house hours. The proposal was prepared by student senator, Joe Sloyan (jr.-ESF) and student association president Mark Behnke (jr.-Gal.).

According to student life committee chairman, Dr. Donald Kreilkamp, "I believe the reasons posed by those who prepared this proposal were valid and I feel that the time extension is necessary due to the lack of places where both sexes can study together."

Dr. Kreilkamp also stated that the students of Saint Joseph's have more privileges than students of other colleges, and that Saint Joe students should participate in the making of college rules, such as that of open house hours.

"Saint Joseph's is an open society, and in a democratic society, students have the right to state their opinion on lawmaking and have the opportunity to attend committee and departmental meetings," comments Kreilkamp.

"For any handbook or rule to be effective, you have to have the backing, not only of the faculty, but also the students. The voting illustrates that the faculty is willing to agree to a change and it is up to the students to not abuse the extension but to benefit from it," states Kreilkamp.

Kreilkamp saw that the one drawback that the extension may cause would be that of induced partying. He feels that college life's major objective is to prepare the students for the real world and it is the student's responsibility to respect the rules and abide by them.

"The success of open house and any future extensions of open house hours depends on the students," comments Kreilkamp.

According to Father Phillip Gilbert, the question of extending hours for open house is not the real issue. The issue is what is meant by "open house." If it means, for example, that a young man can enter, say, Halas Hall and use the place as if it were his own dorm, then no hours are appropriate, Father Gilbert stresses.

But if the young man properly identifies himself and the specific young woman or group of women he intends to visit, and the room in which the visiting is to occur, then it is appropriate to speak of hours, he adds. If the hours do not infringe on the rights of other members of the dorm, then they are suitable; otherwise, they are not, Father Gilbert notes.

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Halleck Board Seeks Students

By SAMUEL BRAUS

The office of student services is putting the finishing touches on the recently-approved Halleck Center Student Union Board.

Applications for membership have been distributed to interested students meeting the 2.25 grade qualification. Final selection of membership will be completed by the beginning of April.

Mrs. Diane Jennings, director of student activities and principal organizer, described the new committee's purposes as twofold. First, it will be responsible for the programming of activities within Halleck Center. She emphasized that it would also organize activities in other areas of the campus. The second purpose will be to allow more students the opportunity to develop leadership skills.

The committee will be made up of a board of directors, a junior board, and a senior board. The six members of the senior board will be the executive council responsible for the development and operation of the committee, with the support and input of the junior board.

The ten members of the junior board, to be selected by the board of directors and the committee advisor Mrs. Jennings, will, in addition to advising the directors, coordinate the committee's staff members. The staff members will be made up of interested freshman and sophomore students.

After the maiden year of 1979-80, the board will begin a system of promotion not unlike that of SA committee members. Individuals who have contributed 30 or more hours will be eligible to petition for seats on the junior and senior boards. This makes it possible for the students to develop leadership skills as they advance in position.

The committee will have a low-cost budget. There will be fund-raising activities, but Mrs. Jennings mentioned that positively no plans have been made to charge students in mandatory ways.

The existence of a student-run board with an independent budget has raised the question of a competitive challenge to the Student Association. SA president Mark Behnke refused to comment on this.

The committee will officially begin work in April. Its immediate aims will be brainstorming for ideas to be put into action in the fall.

Kirk Jockel (so.-Gal.) beat the power failure of Feb. 25 by studying under the beam of a lantern. The four-hour blackout ran until 7:30 p.m.

Psychology Earns Psi Chi Charter

Saint Joseph's College has earned a charter in Psi Chi, the national honorary in psychology, and approximately 12 students will be formally initiated into the organization in April.

"Membership in Psi Chi is a distinct honor for Saint Joseph's, not only because it recognizes standards achieved by our psychology department, but because it also provides an excellent avenue for our psychology majors to further their careers," says Dr. Janet Sniezek, assistant professor of psychology.

Activities of the honorary include national competition for cash awards among members in the form of research papers, experiments and formal studies.

Early each March, the Midwestern Psychological Association in Chicago features a special section wherein Psi Chi members deliver papers approved for presentation by a screening committee.

"To have one of your papers presented at this convention would be a remarkable achievement, and it becomes a challenging goal for all Psi Chi members," reports Dr. Sniezek.

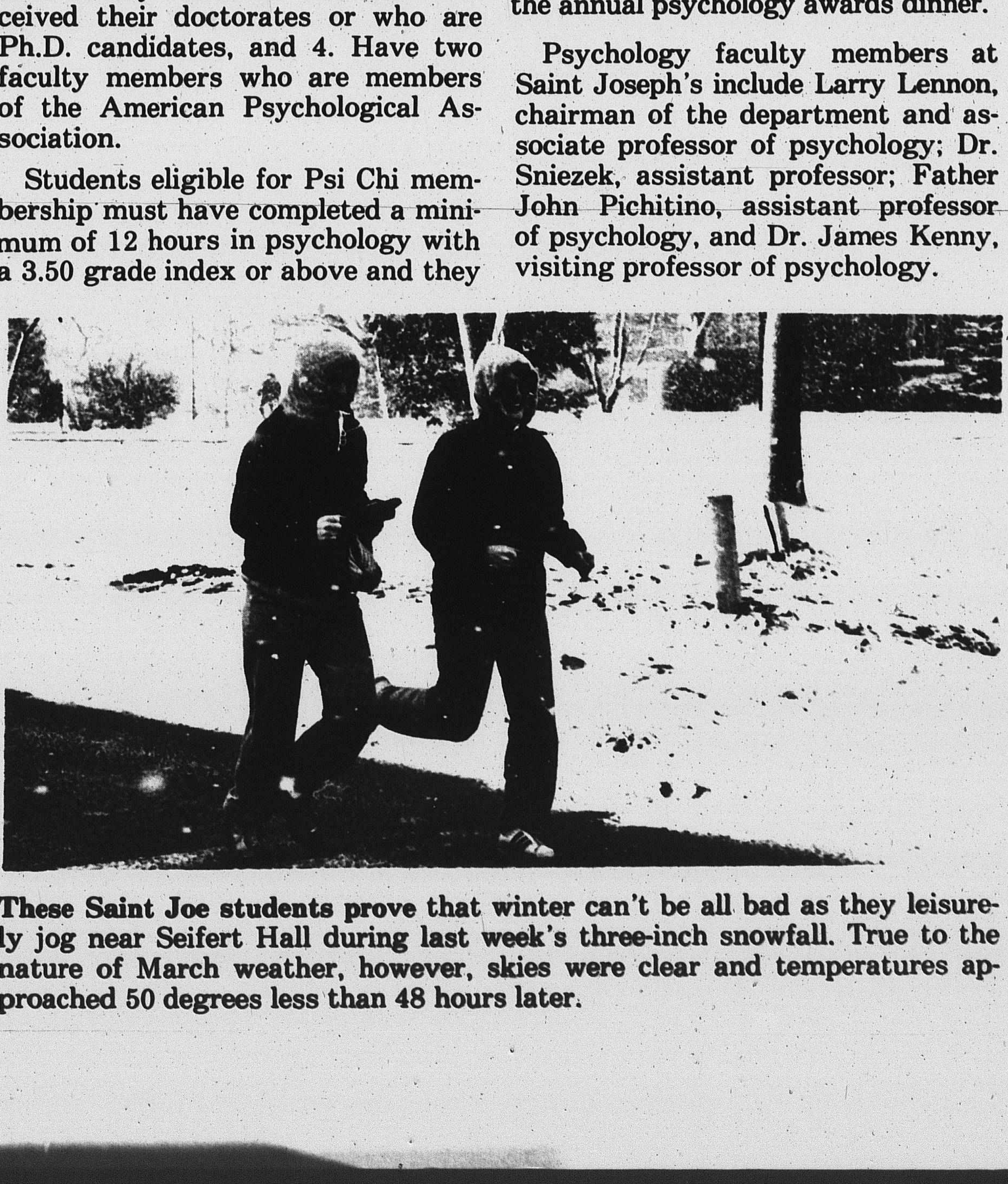
"Moreover, any Psi Chi-related accomplishments by our students can readily be a terrific boost to their professional career aspirations."

Most United States colleges and universities are Psi Chi members. To be a member, the school must: 1. Be an accredited college, 2. Have a rigorous psychology major combining courses from numerous areas, 3. Have two faculty members who have received their doctorates or who are Ph.D. candidates, and 4. Have two faculty members who are members of the American Psychological Association.

Students eligible for Psi Chi membership must have completed a minimum of 12 hours in psychology with a 3.50 grade index or above and they also must hold a minimum 3.00 cumulative index.

Saint Joseph's new Psi Chi members will be initiated Apr. 10 during the annual psychology awards dinner.

Psychology faculty members at Saint Joseph's include Larry Lennon, chairman of the department and associate professor of psychology; Dr. Sniezek, assistant professor; Father John Pichitino, assistant professor of psychology, and Dr. James Kenny, visiting professor of psychology.



These Saint Joe students prove that winter can't be all bad as they leisurely jog near Seifert Hall during last week's three-inch snowfall. True to the nature of March weather, however, skies were clear and temperatures approached 50 degrees less than 48 hours later.

Open House Revisited

Now that the new open house policy has become a veritable household word and all of the initial sensationalism has fizzled out somewhat, it is time to take a realistic look at this seemingly revolutionary breakthrough.

It was a long and arduous journey, the likes of which only the signing of the Declaration of Independence has surpassed. Mark Behnke, Student Association president, and the senate open house committee, chaired by Joe Sloyan, should be lauded for their exemplary perseverance in once again trying to convince the Student Life Committee and faculty that such a change was in keeping with the spirit of the times; but even more important, it was consistent with the philosophy of Saint Joseph's College, that being to foster healthy relationships and to produce mature, responsible young men and women.

But what about this new policy? What aspects of student life will it affect? Will it necessarily lead to new legislation concerning enforcement? Will it detract from or enhance dormitory living, particularly student privacy? Will it tangently affect the academic realm? Will it, in fact, lead to a more conducive study atmosphere?

Obviously, these questions are rhetorical. However, questions such as these (and others) must eventually come to the forefront in order to determine the effectiveness and workability of such a new policy. We need to assess its overall effect on the quality of education at Saint Joe's, for education, as we all know, does not begin and end in the classroom.

Without offering a long and preachy sermon, we should all be aware that this is the testing stage. All eyes will, during the course of the semester, be judgmentally on us. To abide by the rules goes without saying. . .But let it be said anyway. . .PLEASE, PLEASE, let us show ourselves and the faculty that their vote of confidence in us was not in vain. All of those qualities that necessarily go along with being an adult--let us exhibit them with glaring pride.

Letters To The Editor

Opinions expressed here are not necessarily those of the student body, the administration, the faculty, or all members of the staff, and STUFF does not accept responsibility for the views expressed in any letter, signed or unsigned, which appears on these pages. What it does accept is the responsibility for giving differing opinions the chance to appear here.

Dear Editor,

I would like this letter to be an open one, directed to SA President, Mark Behnke, and the student body.

At the Feb. 21 faculty meeting, many items were considered. The most important resolution up for discussion on the faculty floor revolved around the revision of the archaic open house rule.

I would like to publicly thank Mr. Behnke, the Student Life Committee, and all others who were involved in pushing this issue into the limelight. These individuals did extensive research into the open house policy and did a commendable job. At the meeting itself, Mr. Behnke presented the "student" request in such a way that its rejection would have caused chaos.

I would also like to extend my appreciation to Father Banet and the general faculty for permitting student attendance at their meeting. In spite of prior notice, very few of you attended this meeting. To be exact, only 29 students showed up. To be blunt, it was a pretty pathetic turnout. It can't be true that no more than three percent of the student body were the only concerned ones. For three years, I've listened to you (myself included) bitch about one rule or another, but when it comes right down to it, it's all hot air. Bitching about something is easy--actually caring enough to get changes implemented isn't quite as easy.

Too many of us figure that someone else will get it done. Personally, I was very disappointed in the student turnout. I hadn't thought the apathy was that bad. Especially considering the issue to be voted on. As long as I can remember, past SA's have tried to get the open house policy changed. We finally get someone in the SA who listens to us, and what do we do? We shut up, we don't cooperate. I mean, open house hours are something that affect all of us.

The way I see it, you really don't care about what happens. You're willing to take what the faculty and the administration hands out. You demonstrated that on Feb. 21. So, bitch all you want. If you want changes, you have to get them started. You have to approach the people you put in the SA to help you change something. If you just bitch, you deserve what you get.

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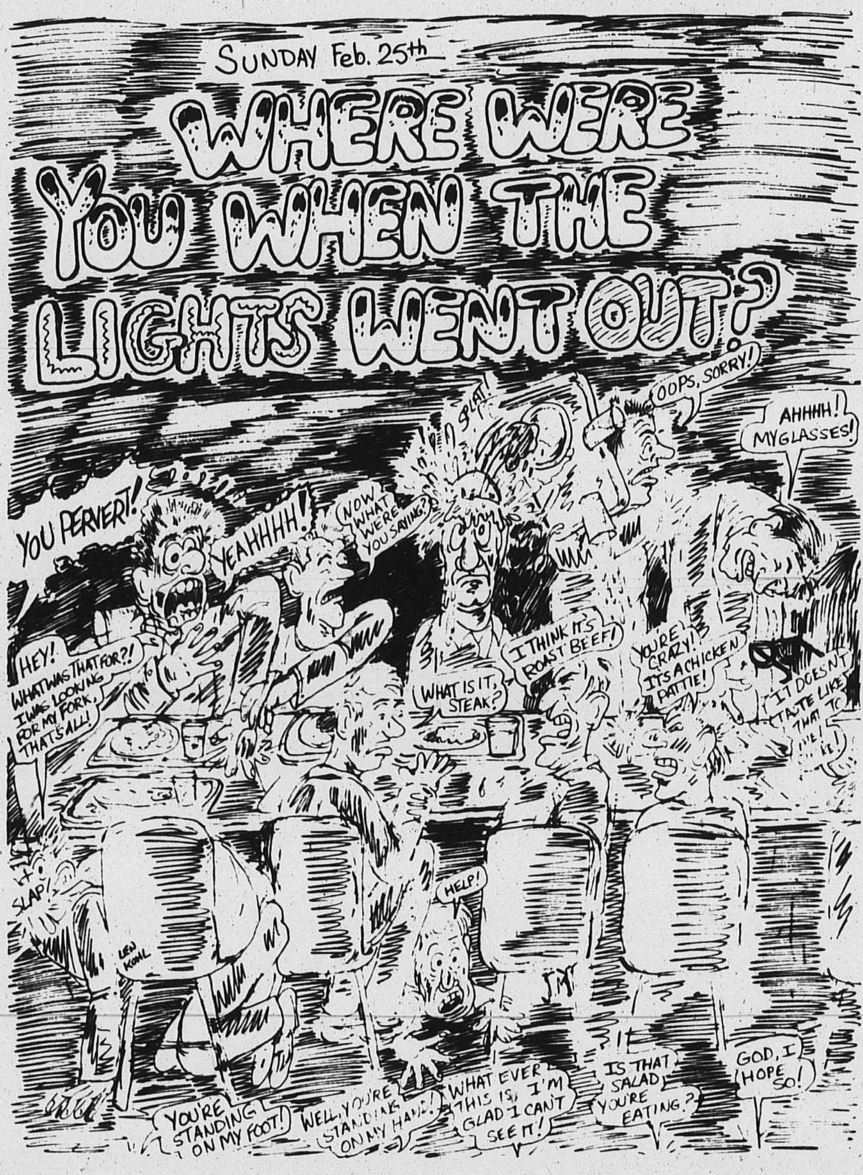

Dear Editor,

I am writing this letter about a recent issue that was voted upon by the Student Senate. The issue to which I'm referring is an amendment to the senate rules which states the eligibility of a student to run for an SA office is dependent upon a minimun grade point average of 2.25. After the issue had been debated, the Senate rejected the amendment. There were numerous points brought up, for and against the proposed amendment. However, I feel that the refusal of the Senate to accept the amendment was not done for the benefit of the entire student body. My reasons are: 1. The minimum grade point average to hold an SA office conflicts with the minimum grade point average the school sets with regard to academic probation (1.8 - freshmen, sophomores; 1.9 - juniors; 2.0 - seniors). 2. It also conflicts with the minimum grade point average established for varsity athletes with regards to academic probation, (1.9). 3. It discriminates against students who have the potential skills, abilities, and ambitions to be on the Student Association Executive Board.

A grade point average, especially when it becomes a matter of .05 of a point, will not influence a student's decision to vote for a candidate he feels possesses the qualities necessary for an office such as SA president.

It surprises me that we have to let a grade point average choose and discriminate our candidates for Student Association offices. A person's knowledge and ability cannot always be measured in numbers.

Sincerely,
Linda Jankowski

One Point Of View

SA Fee Use Demands Discretion

By JAMES GWYN JR.

Recently there have been a few differences of opinion regarding the use of Student Association funds.

There have been some questions as to whether or not our SA officers have judiciously used the budget for expenditures, apparently undertaken in an official capacity under the auspices of the SA.

How could the freshman class get short-changed on their money--with proper monetary allocation? How could the TV cable money be underestimated--with proper planning? Why would a proposal be made to drop non-alcoholic events--with proper allocation of funds? How could there be a double miscalculation of the budget (eventually ending up with a balanced budget)--with proper organization? How is it possible for an SA officer to purchase a clock-radio with S.A. funds for his office without first having taken a thorough inventory of his office--with proper judgment? How is it possible for an SA officer to purchase a flight ticket with SA funds--with proper discretion?

Well, it is about time for the student body to be given some answers without the SA officers invoking the fifth amendment; and if not for past expenditures, it should be for the future ones.

All financial expenditures should be itemized individually, whether they are listed as miscellaneous or not. What has to be so secret about the miscellaneous column?

It's up to pressure from the student body, from whence the money comes, and the administration, who allocates the funds, to clearly state what funds can and cannot be used for.

If SA officers feel that a separate itemized entry is too much of a hassle, then maybe it's time to resign from office and let someone handle the job who will not see the writing as being too much of a burden.

Florida Holiday Successful

Saint Joseph's College students who were fed up with the winter of '79 have spent spring recess relaxing on the sunny sands of Fort Lauderdale, Fla., a city promoted as "America's number one resort for young adults."

More than 20 students were housed at the Lauderdale Biltmore Hotel, courtesy of arrangements made by the Student Association traveling committee and its chairman, Rich Huffine (junior from Indianapolis, Ind.).

The Student Association traveling committee was organized last semester, Huffine says, "to break monotony for students who wanted to get away to sporting events, concerts or related activities of widespread student interest. Our whole operation depends upon student interest and participation."

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Baseball Team Opens Season Saturday

By MONIQUE LACOUTURE

While major league baseball teams tune up for their April openers by playing in the Grapefruit League down in sunny Florida, college teams are ending their "spring training" practices and making final roster cuts in preparation for the beginning of their seasons which start at the end of this month. This category includes Saint Joseph's baseball Pumas, who open the '79 season with a doubleheader Saturday afternoon at Marion (Ind.) College.

New head coach George Waggoner will be hoping to improve the Pumas' 1978 record of 13-13-1 with the help of 22 returning veterans and a few equally-talented newcomers.

Pitching seems to be one of the Pumas' assets thus far. Waggoner will be counting on the four healthy arms of Bob Nicholas, John Bauman, George Ushela, and last year's top reliever, Dave Caldwell.

Supplying the power from the plate this season will be Randy Herring, who had a .333 batting average last year; .317 hitter Kevin Sims (also '78's leader in RBI's and homers); Kirk Adams, Floyd Bentley, Neil Brown, and Nick Fries--all good hitters.

At this time, the catching department seems to be solid with five potential starters, including veteran Don Steinhilber, who is almost 100 percent recovered from his knee operation, and freshman standout Dave Deany. "I'm pretty high on this kid right now," says Waggoner. "He's a big, strong guy with plenty of power; I can see a lot of plate potential in him."

Advantages slightly outweigh the disadvantages in this year's version of the Puma team. Catching, hitting, and baserunning are the three aspects which Waggoner feels are the strengths of the club. "All of the catchers are doing a fine job, our overall team speed is good, and although we may lack some power at the plate, by hitting lots of singles and doubles we'll be able to play hit-and-run and bunting games; going base-to-base instead of trying for everything at once," Waggoner points out. "Our one question mark at this time is the lack of strength up the middle--depth in the pitching staff, the shortstop-second base combination, and center field; hopefully these problems will work themselves out with time."

After Saturday's contest, Saint Joe's travels to Rose-Hulman for a twinbill on Sunday afternoon, then moves to Bellarmine on Tuesday for two more games. These games will begin at 1 p.m. (CST).

A doubleheader with the Fighting Irish of Notre Dame is the scheduled home opener for the Pumas on Saturday, Mar. 31, at 12 noon. Three more games are then slated at home: two with Tri-State (Ind.) on April Fool's Day beginning at 12:30 p.m., and a single contest against Division I Valparaiso Apr. 3 at 3 p.m.

"We've got a pretty rough schedule this season, including some of the Division I schools like Notre Dame, Indiana, and Purdue; but I feel that some of our biggest tests will come from within our own conference and from Eastern Illinois and Northern Kentucky to name just two," says Waggoner.

"I'm not setting a lot of goals this year, except to win the Division II conference crown and have a fun season. The guys have been working out since January, which is the heart of the basketball season, so a lot of credit belongs to my assistant coach John Pullin, who worked so hard with the team during my absence, and who has gotten them as prepared for the season as he could. It should be an interesting year!"

Baseball practice for Saturday's season opener moves ahead at full speed in Raleigh Hall whenever the weatherman is disagreeable. Here a Puma diamond candidate takes his cuts in the batting area.

Track Meets Announced

Highlighting Saint Joseph's track program is the presence of 24 quality athletes on the women's team, including several members from the highly-successful women's basketball team.

Of the 23 athletes on the men's track team, 14 are freshmen, which makes their hopes grow for future success.

Following are the men's and women's schedules.

MEN'S TRACK

Mar.	31	Danville J.C. (11 a.m.)
Apr.	7	Open
Apr.	14	Wabash Relays (1 p.m.) (at Crawfordsville, Ind.)
Apr.	21	Heartland Collegiate Conference Meet (12 noon) (at Ashland, Ohio)
Apr.	28	Little State Meet (1 p.m.) (at Anderson, Ind.)

WOMEN'S TRACK

Mar.	31	Danville J.C. (11 a.m.)
Apr.	7	Indiana State University Invitational (at Terre Haute, Ind.)
Apr.	11	Manchester, Tri-State--at Manchester (3 p.m.)
Apr.	14	Goshen
Apr.	18	at Taylor (3 p.m.)
Apr.	21	Ball State University Invitational (at Muncie, Ind.)
Apr.	24	Manchester, Anderson, Defiance--at Manchester (3 p.m.)
Apr.	28	Indiana Small College Invitational (10 a.m.) (at Marion, Ind.)

Men Cagers Win Regional Title

By ED FISETTE

Twenty-two points from the free throw line enabled Bridgeport (Conn.) to overpower Saint Joseph's 92-82 in an NCAA division II quarterfinal game Mar. 9. The Pumas got to the quarterfinals by winning the Great Lakes regional tournament with upsets over Eastern Illinois 76-66 and Wright State 73-68 on Mar. 2 and 3.

SJC concluded its season with a 20-10 record, making it one of the most successful basketball campaigns in the school's history.

SJC and Bridgeport suffered slow starts, but three long-range field goals by Neil Brown sparked an eight-point surge by the Pumas as they took a 14-7 lead with 11:30 remaining.

With 8:15 to go in the first half, the Pumas enjoyed their biggest lead at 20-12. SJC's final lead of the night was 26-25 as the Purple Knights ran off eight straight points to take a 33-25 advantage.

Saint Joe scored two more field goals than Bridgeport, 37-73 (.507) to 35-62 (.565), but the decisive edge was the free throws. Bridgeport connected on 22-32 (.688) as the Pumas made eight of 11 (.727).

Dave Downey tallied 25 points and 14 rebounds in the losing effort and Brown popped in 22, mostly from long range. Kevin Sims scored 13 points and dished out 11 assists, thus moving his season total to 171, an all-time Saint Joe record. Gerald Kates was the only other Puma in double figures with 12.

Wright State and Eastern Illinois entered the Great Lakes Regional as co-favorites for the title. SJC soon ended their hopes for the championship.

Hot shooting was characteristic in the Eastern Illinois game as the Pumas hit on 30 of 56 field goal attempts for a .536 accuracy rating and also claimed 16 of 18 free throws for .888.

SJC's defense limited the Panthers to 24 baskets in 72 attempts for 33 percent. Eastern shot 18 of 20 free throws, however, for a 90 percent rating.

Saint Joe's biggest lead of the night was at 36-20 with four minutes until halftime. At the intermission, the Pumas led, 41-32.

With just over nine minutes to play, Eastern narrowed the gap to 57-53, but Saint Joe scored eight unanswered points to take a commanding lead at 65-53.

The victory was the first ever for Saint Joe over Eastern in tournament play.

When the Pumas eliminated Wright State, it was again the first victory over the Raiders in tourney play. Saint Joe has played Eastern three times and Wright State twice in post-season contests.

Brown popped in 21 points; Kates bagged 15 and Downey and Sims added 12 each.

Downey played all three games with a smaller bandage on his broken left hand, and for the first time since the injury occurred on Jan. 31, he played without his left wrist splinted.

For their performances in the regional tourney, Downey and Sims were named to the all-regional team chosen by the National Association of Basketball Coaches.

Women Hoopsters Finish 2nd In State

Saint Joseph's women's basketball team concluded its most impressive season ever as the Pumas finished just short of the state championship, when they dropped a 61-47 decision in the title game to Butler. It was Butler's third victory over the Pumas this season.

In the first round of the district tourney, SJC demolished Purdue Calumet 94-34, thus setting up the district finals between the Pumas and the Fighting Irish of Notre Dame.

Saint Joe had beaten Notre Dame during the regular season and was hoping for a repeat performance--it was not to be, however.

A hard-fought battle ensued and Notre Dame was able to claim a 29-24 halftime advantage. Playing catchup ball, the Pumas battled back to knot the score at 61-61 at the end of regulation time.

In the overtime period, Notre Dame scored the winning basket with four seconds remaining. A last-second shot by the Pumas missed and at this point, SJC's only hope for continued post-season play was an at-large bid to the state tourney, which they received.

The Pumas' first state tournament game was against Indiana State University-Evansville. After registering a 72-52 victory, the Pumas advanced to the second round where they played a tough Goshen team.

SJC's staunch defense held Goshen scoreless during the first ten minutes of the game as the Pumas jumped out to a 16-0 lead, then went on to register a 59-43 upset victory.

Puma head coach Susan Buntin credited SJC's defense as the key to the victory.

Cheryl Getz contributed 16 points to the winning effort and pulled down 13 rebounds. Jennifer Voreis added 16 points while Katie Flynn popped in nine.

This victory set up the state championship game between Butler and Saint Joe.

The Pumas committed twice as many turnovers as Butler (30-15); this was the most damaging aspect of the game for Saint Joe.

Buntin sums up the 17-5 season record by stating "our rebounding and scoring were the most satisfying elements of our play all season long, and everyone on this team contributed to its success."

Goalie Mike Kmetz (jr.-Mer.) of the Merlini Bongs makes a sprawling save while teammate Scott Lahrman (sr.-Mer.) comes to his aid. Players in the background (left to right) are Dave Ketcham (jr.-Gal.), Paul Lawdensky (sr.-Gal.), Dennis Daugherty (jr.-Mer.) and William Lennon (sr.-Mer.). Gallagher's Kiwis won this championship game, 5-1.

Doctoral Candidate

Lennon Offers Psychology Services

Have you ever had a problem which you couldn't talk about to your friends but wished you had someone you could tell? Then talk to Lawrence Lennon, associate professor of psychology and campus clinical psychologist at Saint Joseph's.

A 1965 Saint Joseph's graduate, Lennon went to DePaul University to work on his master's degree with a major emphasis in clinical psychology. He is now a Ph.D. candidate, having completed all the necessary coursework at Miami University. He has finished his dissertation but is currently rewriting the last chapter.

"I hope to finish my dissertation and hopefully have the Ph.D. by this summer," comments Lennon.

Smoking withdrawal techniques is the subject of the paper. Lennon asserts that hypnosis is one of the major ways to conquer the smoking habit.

"I have people imagine themselves smoking in different situations and then have them visualize unpleasant consequences of their smoking," remarks Lennon. He calls this "stimulus relevant images." I try to sensitize people to the harms of smoking, accidental fires, bad breath, cancer, etc.--and then give them the suggestion to quit."

Members of the Columbian Players' cast for the Mar. 30-Apr. 1 presentation of **Plaza Suite** are, left to right, sitting: Mary Mysliwiec (so.-Jus.), Dawn Stovall (so.-Jus.), Bruce Hicks (sr.-Aqu.) and Diana Kachlik (jr.-Hal.). Standing are (left to right): Darryl Carstensen (fr.-Gal.), Dave Ptasienski (fr.-ESF), play director Stormy Klecka (so.-Jus.), Krisz Bardos (jr.-Hal.) and Marty Kooi (fr.-Ben.).

Lennon's background makes him thoroughly qualified for his job. He was a camp counselor at a camp near Peoria, Ill., which dealt with mentally retarded, crippled, and lower socioeconomic class children. He was program director for this camp during the summer of '65.

"From September 1966 to December 1967, I was employed part-time for the state of Illinois, Department of Rehabilitation, as a sign language interpreter for a deaf graduate student at DePaul University," reflects Lennon.

He and his wife Sharon were houseparents at a home for children in Elgin, Ill. They cared for nine emotionally disturbed boys, who had been taken away from their homes for delinquency, parental abandonment, or they had run away.

"One of my dreams is to go back and do a follow-up on these kids to see what happened to them. It has been about 13 years since my wife and I have seen them," Lennon states.

Lennon was employed full-time at the Lebanon Correctional Institute in Lebanon, Ohio as a prison social worker / psychologist. "My duties included intake and pre-parole interviews, writing case histories, and conducting institution research, doing group and individual therapy, and teaching psychology courses."

Lennon was employed as an instructor in psychology at Western College in Oxford, Ohio, before coming to Saint Joe.

"In my personal life, getting married and having five kids have been the most significant things; however, working with the children, especially the handicapped child, has been most meaningful to me," reflects Lennon.

One of Lennon's goals is close to being fulfilled. He wants to expand the psychology department to have a major in psychological services, in addition to the current psychology major.

This expansion has already passed the Academic Cabinet and is pending faculty approval. "With the addition of Dr. Janet Sniezek to our psychology faculty, I feel our department is the strongest it has ever been. These two programs will make the department very, very strong," says Lennon.

SLOYAN WINS

Joe Sloyan (jr.-ESF) won the Student Association presidential election Tuesday with 347 votes, outpolling incumbent Mark Behnke (jr.-Gal.) (198 votes) and Mike Nassr (so.-Gal.) (27 votes). George Liggett (jr.-WSF) defeated Jim Conde (so.-Gal.) for social vice-president. Valerie Bauer (jr.-Jus.) was elected secretary and Don Zehner (jr.-Gal.) was elected treasurer; both ran unopposed.

Open House Raises Questions

Students and faculty members have been queried on their opinions concerning the newly-enacted open house hours.

Q: What are your viewpoints regarding the new open house hours?

Vince Marzano (fr.-Gal.):

I really like the new hours. If I'm studying with someone of the opposite sex, they are not obliged to leave at nine o'clock. I don't think that eleven o'clock is too late. However, if quiet hours had not been maintained at nine, I would not like the new policy.

STUFF reporter Kathy Dauksza (fr.-Hal.) interviews Juanita Berg (fr.-Hal.) regarding student opinion on the extension of open house hours.

Cathy Edwards (sr.-Hal.):

The new hours are just fine. They really do not change much. Now I can study in mixed company in the dorm without having to worry about the time. Due to the lack of rooms in Halleck Center and the Science Building, I can now get together with a group of guys and girls for more than an hour. The only thing wrong with the new hours is that some of the girls feel that they cannot get to bed as early as they would like due to the guys roaming the hallways. Overall, though, they are a good idea.

Frank Geib (so.-Noll):

The hours are good but I feel that there should be 24-hour visitation rights. It would promote better social activities on this campus, which are sorely needed.

Sister Catherine Fay, B.V.M.:

I'm happy if it takes care of social needs. But I'm worried about those individuals who need more quiet time. It can take away one's privacy. Maybe it would be possible to set up a place where the students can gather together. It is imperative that we also concern ourselves with scholastic achievement, as our primary concern must at all times focus upon a good education.

Juanita Berg (fr.-Hal.):

I like the new hours because people like to get together and study past nine o'clock. We should be able to judge when we wish to study and who we wish to study with. We should at least be allowed that privilege.

Father Phillip Gilbert, C.PP.S.:

The hours aren't as important as the open house if a young man can run around the hallways with a beer in his hand and use the female lounge as if it were his own; then the privilege is abused. On the other hand, if the young man or young lady wished to visit each other with a social grace in mind or for academic purposes, then the open house will work effectively.

Social Preview

By BRAD LEITCH

Plaza Suite, a hilarious comedy by Neil Simon, will be presented under the sponsorship of the Columbian Players at the Saint Joseph's College auditorium, Mar. 30, 31, and Apr. 1 at 8 p.m.

Tickets will be on sale at lunch and dinner or are available from any cast member, up to and including opening night. Prices range from $1.50-adults, $1-students and $.50-children under ten years of age.

Students are encouraged to purchase tickets early, as a large audience is expected on the Little 500 time trial weekend.

Plaza Suite is under the able direction of Stormy Klecka (sr.-Jus.). Klecka is no stranger to the theatre, as she previously directed three productions.

Cast members under her direction include Bruce Hicks, Dawn Stovall, John Lloyd, Janeen Wenstrup, Jeff Andorfer, Dave Ptasienski, Marty Kooi, Darryl Carstensen, Mary Mysliwiec, Diana Kachlik and Krisz Bardos. Each individual is talented in his or her own right.

With the combined talents of such a large cast, **Plaza Suite** promises to be an outstanding production. So, find some spare change; purchase a ticket and join us for an enjoyable evening at the theatre.

Saturday, Mar. 24, mixer, featuring **The Rick McDowell Band**, 9:30 p.m.-12:30 a.m., ballroom.

A five-piece western rock band that plays a wide range of material. Shades of **Marshall Tucker!!!** Puma-type refreshments (cookies and milk) will be served in addition to the usual brew.

Sunday, Mar. 25, BSU Fashion-Talent Show, ballroom, 2 p.m.

Sunday, Mar. 25, movie, **The Great Race,** 7:30 p.m. and 10 p.m. auditorium.

This old comedy-yarn starring Tony Curtis is very enjoyable, outdated and has appeared on the late-show more times than I am old. If you have missed it then. . .be sure to see it now.

Friday, Mar. 30, **Plaza Suite,** 8 p.m.

Saturday, Mar. 31, **Little 500 time trials,** 12 noon.

Festivities get under way when drivers, pit crews, race officials and fans gather for the **Little 500 time trials.** It's bound to be a blast!!!

Saturday, Mar. 31, **Plaza Suite,** 8 p.m.

Saturday, Mar. 31, mixer, featuring **The Chicago Blues Band,** 9:30 p.m.-12:30 a.m., ballroom.

Sunday, Apr. 1, **Plaza Suite,** 8 p.m.

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By JOHN BURRELL